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Dear Mr. Shea:

Greetings and congratulations on your election to the presidency of IREF.

I am pleased to inform you that Mr. Bakr M. BinLadin, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Saudi BinLadin Group, has asked me to confirm his decision to contribute \$10,000 to the IREF Future Fund. Please provide me with money transfer instructions, at Fax No. (704) 327-2305, to allow me to finalize the transaction.

Regards and best wishes for continued success, and I hope to see you at Traverse City.

Sincerely,

Fuad Rihami
Fuad Rihami
Saudi BinLadin Group

cc: Engr. Bakr M. BinLadin

*Mr. Shea -
An invoice was
sent out this
morning with
wire instructions.
Amr*